GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2102
ANSWERED ON:08.08.2005
REHABILITATION OF CHILD LABOUR
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of programmes started by the Government for rehabilitation of child labourers engaged in hazardous industries in the country particularly in Maharashtra, Uttar Pradesh and Jharkhand;

(b) whether the Government has sanctioned any funds for the purpose during the current year;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) the details of the welfare measures being implemented by the Union Government in the interest of the child labour; and

(e) the extent to which these measures have been successful?

Answer

MINISTER OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI K. CHANDRASEKHAR RAO)

(a): With a view to rehabilitate children withdrawn from hazardous occupations and processes, Government is implementing National Child Labour Project Scheme in 250 districts across 21 States of the country including 13 districts of Maharashtra, 41 districts of Uttar Pradesh and 9 districts of Jharkhand. Under the Scheme, special schools are set up for the child labour to provide bridging education before they are mainstreamed into the regular school education system.

(b): Yes, Sir.

(c): The Statement is annexed.

(d): National Child Labour Project Scheme is the main scheme for the rehabilitation of child labour. Under the Scheme, Special Schools/Rehabilitation Centres are set-up for the rehabilitation of child labour, which provide following facilities to the children withdrawn from employment:

- formal/non-formal education,
- vocational training,
- supplementary nutrition @ Rs.5/-per child,
- stipend @ Rs 100/- per month to children withdrawn from employment,
- Health care facilities.

(e): The progress of these special schools is monitored through regular inspections and returns and the results of these efforts are found quite successful.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (C) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2102 BY SHRI TUKARAM GANPATRAO RENGE PATIL, SHRI HARIKEWAL PRASAD, SHRI SUNIL KUMAR MAHATO, DR. DHIRENDRA AGARWAL TO BE ANSWERED ON 8.8.2005 REGARDING REHABILITATION OF CHILD LABOUR

State-wise release of funds during the year 2005-06

(As on 30.7.2005)

Sl.No.	State	Fund Released During 2005-06

1	AP	123076664
2	Assam	12468000
3	Bihar	17152500
4	Chhattisgarh	29668000
5	Gujarat	859000
6	Haryana	1718000
7	Jharkhand	17551000
8	Karnataka	20090400
9	M.P.	27688200
10	Maharashtra	8612600
11	Orissa	81371400
12	Punjab	9158400
13	Rajasthan	49238700
14	Tamilnadu	58699800
15	Uttar Pradesh	16401000
16	Uttarnchal	592000
17	West Bengal	56266500

Total 530612164